

MDE Bid Point Calculator: Price and Non-price Criteria

SFA: Faribault Public Schools

Contract Year: 2026-2027

Date: 5/15/2026

	Company Name	SFE	Taher	Sodexo	Chartwells
Price Points:					
	Maximum Points for Low Price - 40%	8			
	Total Proposed Price (lowest price must be in first column)	\$2,010,773	\$2,019,101	\$2,033,285	\$2,104,041
	Percent of Points Awarded for Low Price	100%	100%	99%	95%
	Points Awarded for Low Price	8	8	8	8
Non-Price Points:					
	Non-Price Criteria (max points in this section should total 100 when added to max cost points from above)				
1	District Management Support - 2% Does the vendor address supporting the District as a whole?	0.32	0.34	0.26	0.32
2	Employee Training and Development - 5% What type of support and training is provided to the staff?	0.85	0.9	0.8	0.8
3	Evaluation of Vendor References / Past Performance - 7% Did the vendor provide other MN districts for reference checking?	1.12	1.26	0.56	1.05
4	Ingegrity and Reliability Budget Forecast - 1%	0.16	0.16	0.13	0.17
5	Manager Candidate - 8% Does the vendor seek input from the distrctict for their Food Service Manager?	1.2	1.36	1.04	1.04
6	Marketing and Merchandising Plan - 5%	0.85	0.85	0.6	0.75
7	Nutrition Education - 5%	0.85	0.8	0.75	0.85
8	Plan of Operation - 3%	0.45	0.51	0.42	0.48
9	Plan to Increase Participation - 10%	1.6	1.7	1.3	1.6
10	District Specific Requirements - 14% Will vendor provide food options representative of our student population? Do they mention local food sources? Will they survey and respond to our students, staff and community voices?	2.38	2.52	1.68	1.96
	Non-Price Points	9.78	10.4	7.54	9.02
	TOTAL Points	18	18	16	17